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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Pursuant to the Reexamination Certificate issued on April 3, 2001, in Reexam Control No. 90/005,526 for U.S. Patent No. 5,826,797, which is the subject of the present reissue application, please amend the claims as indicated in Appendices A and B by the double-underlining and double-bracketing. In each of the appendices, the single-underlining and single-bracketing indicate the changes made in the aforementioned reexam proceeding.

Appendix A includes only those claims that would appear differently from their original presentation in this reissue application, and includes the above described amended markings indicating the changes made in the reexam (by single underlining and brackets) and in this reissue application (by double underlining and brackets) relative to the original language in the issued patent.

Appendix B sets forth all of the pending claims including the underlining and bracketing (single and double) as they would appear in a reissued patent.

FEE CALCULATION

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